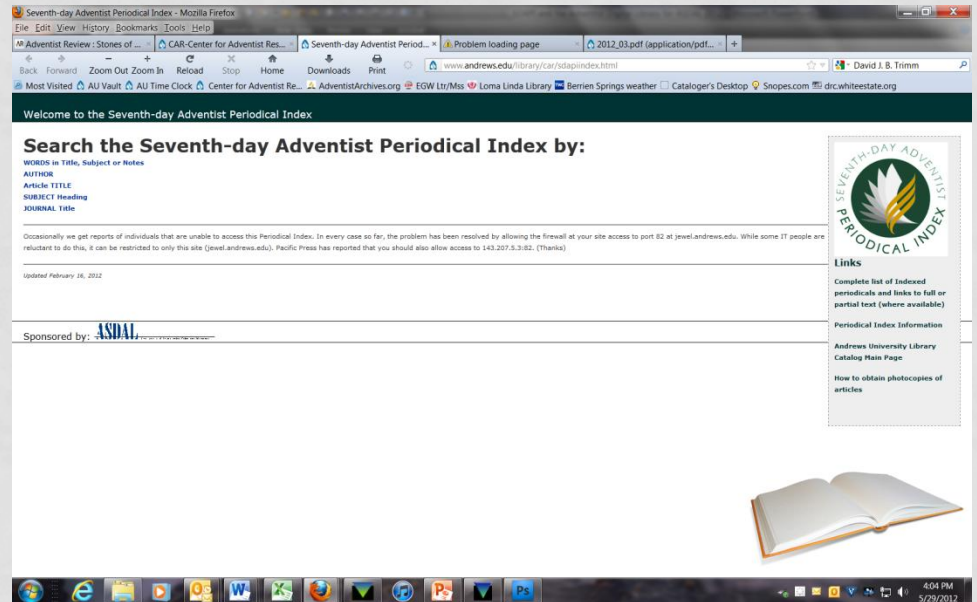


# SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST PERIODICAL INDEX AND THE ADVENTIST DIGITAL LIBRARY

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# WHAT IS THE SDAPI?

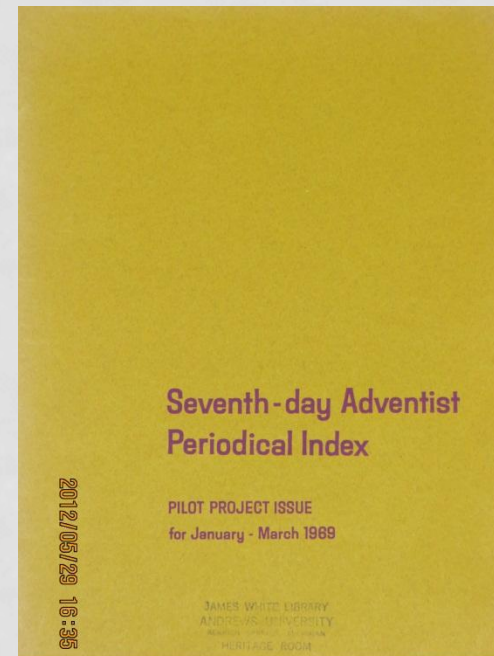
- Seventh-day Adventist Periodical Index commonly called SDAPI
- An online index sponsored by the Association of Seventh-day Adventist Librarians (ASDAL)
- Indexes about 60 Adventist magazines and journals
- Current (2012) + back to 1973
- Review and Herald back to 1957



The screenshot shows a web browser window with the title "Seventh-day Adventist Periodical Index - Mozilla Firefox". The address bar shows the URL "www.andrews.edu/library/car/sdapindex.html". The page content includes a search bar with the text "Search the Seventh-day Adventist Periodical Index by:" and a list of search criteria: "WORDS in Title, Subject or Notes", "AUTHOR", "Article TITLE", "SUBJECT Heading", and "JOURNAL Title". Below the search bar, there is a message: "Occasionally we get reports of individuals that are unable to access this Periodical Index. In every case so far, the problem has been resolved by allowing the firewall at your site access to port 82 at jewel.andrews.edu. While some IT people are reluctant to do this, it can be restricted to only this site (jewel.andrews.edu). Pacific Press has reported that you should also allow access to 143.207.3.382. (Thanks)" and a date "Updated February 16, 2012". At the bottom, it says "Sponsored by: ASDAL". On the right side, there is a logo for the "SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST PERIODICAL INDEX" and a "Links" section with the following text: "Complete list of Indexed periodicals and links to full or partial text (where available)", "Periodical Index Information", "Andrews University Library Catalog Main Page", and "How to obtain photocopies of articles". At the bottom right, there is an image of an open book. The taskbar at the bottom shows various application icons and the system clock indicating 4:04 PM on 5/29/2012.

# SDAPI HISTORY

- Began as various independent projects at different college libraries
- 1960s more focused and substantive discussion among NAD college and university librarians
- Late 1960s began a pilot project
- Headquartered at Loma Linda University in California, USA



# SDAPI HISTORY

- Early 1970s collected an editor and a staff
- Very labor intensive
- Typing cards
- Filing
- Compiling
- Produced a printed Index

# SDAPI HISTORY

- Some years did not have printed Indexes due to organizational and financial difficulties
- 1973-1974
- 1979-1980
- Regular from 1981



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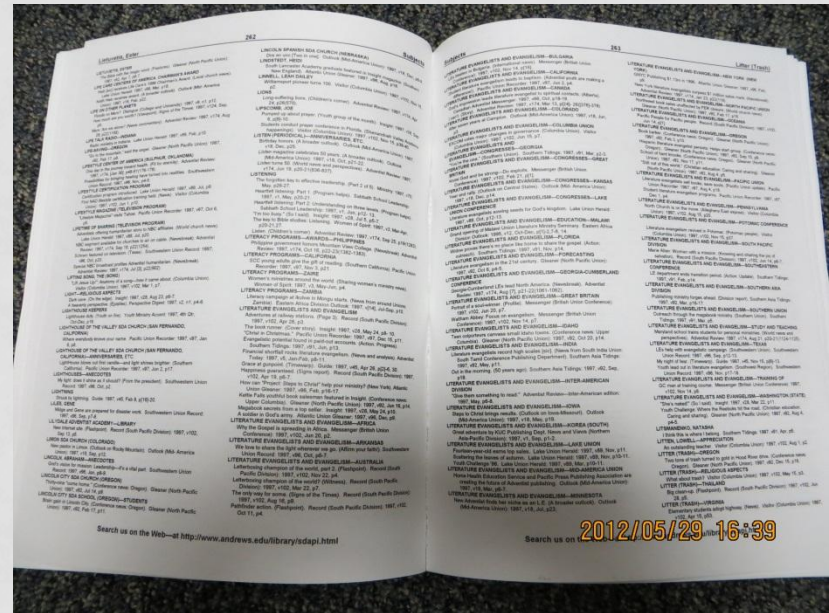
- Two or three editors and numerous staff members during the 20 years located at Loma Linda University
- Through the years the Index suffered from a shortage of money to pay the editor and staff, and for printing and distribution

# SDAPI HISTORY

- 1992 the Index moved to Andrews University as a cost saving measure
- Daniel J. Drazen brought in as the editor
- Indexing work at Andrews began using the newly installed Library catalog software thanks to Harvey Brenneise
- Indexing available in real time via Library catalog
- Data exported annually to create printed Index

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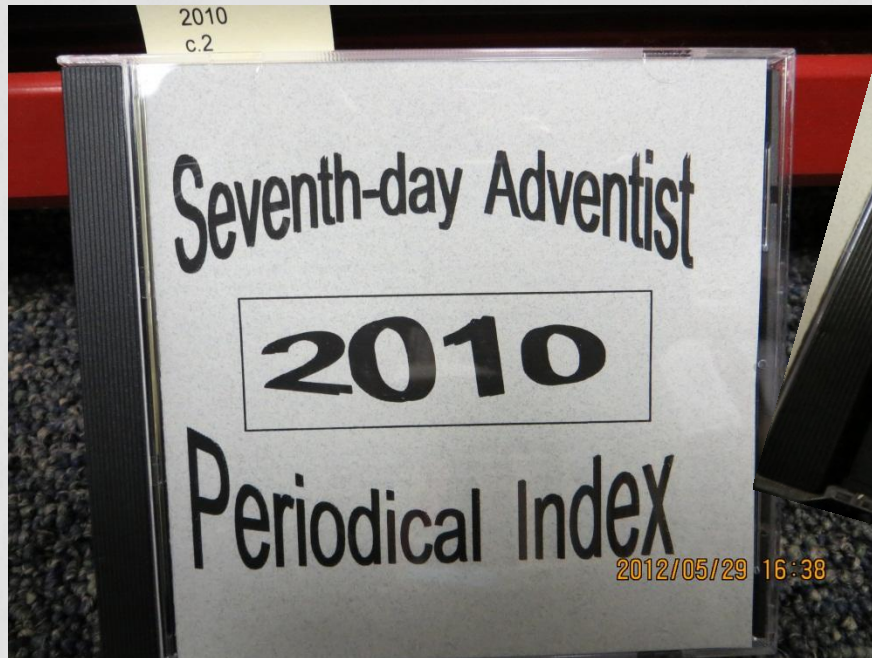
- Late 1990s the printing and distribution costs became prohibitive
- CD-ROM for distribution
- Switch from Innovative to Folio
- Folio is the same software used by the Ellen G. White Writings CD; however, the White Estate did a LOT of changes to customize their interface





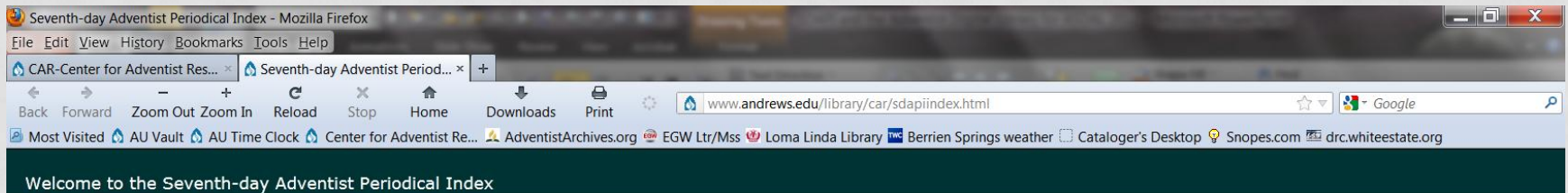
# SDAPI HISTORY

- Folio was not well liked—lacked nice interface
- Early 2000s switched back to Innovative for online; retained Folio for CD-ROM



# USING THE SDAPI

- <http://www.andrews.edu/library/car/sdapiindex.html>



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Article TITLE

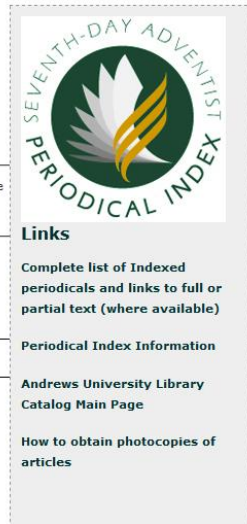
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**Links**

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WebServer Periodical Index

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Click in the box, type the author you want, then press ENTER:

Wilson, ted Search

**Author Search**

For author, illustrator, translator, or book review author--type all or part of the name, **LAST NAME** first. For example:

- Folkenberg, Robert S.
- Folkenberg

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# USING THE SDAPI

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- Page Title:** SDA Periodicals Index
- Search Bar:** ARTICLE AUTHOR | wilson, ted | Search
- Navigation:** Start Over, Return to List, LIMIT THIS SEARCH, Another Search
- Results:**
  - Result page: 1 | Next
  - AUTHORS (1-50 of 51)
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    - 2012
    - [Electronic Resources](#)
  - One year closer to the Klingdom**
    - Wilson, Theodore Norman Clair
    - 2012
    - [Electronic Resources](#)
  - Reaching an ancient region in a new way**
    - Wilson, Theodore Norman Clair
    - 2012
- Taskbar:** Windows 7 taskbar with icons for Internet Explorer, File Explorer, Windows Media Center, Google, Word, Excel, Firefox, VLC, and PowerPoint. System tray shows 1:03 PM on 5/29/2012.



# USING THE SDAPI

SDA Periodicals Index - Mozilla Firefox

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**Author** [Wilson, Theodore Norman Clair](#)  
**Title** [Following the way of the word : a great obligation](#)

Click on the following to:

[Full Text](#)

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[2012, v8, Mar, p8-10](#)  
**Subject** [Youth -- Religious life](#)  
[Church and the world](#)  
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**Series** [World vista](#)

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WORLD VISTA

One Sabbath not long ago I had the privilege of worshipping with 67,000 people in the Citadell Stadium of Isaanda, Angola. During the program we watched thousands and thousands of youth in Pathfinder and Youth Ministries uniforms marching for the Lord. It was magnificent. A few days later we were again encouraged as we met with thousands of Seventh-day Adventist young people in Bonga, Angola, and Cape Town, South Africa.

As I travel to various places around the world, one of the greatest joys I have is meeting so many youth and young adults, and I praise the Lord that there are so many who are committed to Christ and the Seventh-day Adventist message.


As a worldwide church family, we have a great and special obligation to these youth—to help them see Jesus in all His beauty, to accept Him and His righteousness, to engage them in the mission of the church, and above all, to point them to His soon coming.

**Youth Priorities**  
Priorities and methods for youth ministry have been widely discussed. One of the more controversial subjects has been that of worship, particularly worship styles and music choices. Some believe that the way to reach and retain the youth is to provide a more "contemporary" worship experience featuring "Christian rock" bands, mystical forms of prayer, and theological approaches drawn from the emerging church movement. Sometimes very articulate non-Adventist speakers are invited to give presentations during the worship hour. But is this really what Seventh-day Adventist youth and young adults are looking for?

During the 2010 General Conference session in Atlanta, an informal survey was conducted by the General Conference's Office of Assessment and Program Effectiveness. Attendees were asked, "What would you like to tell your church?" They were invited to share their thoughts in writing. The 253 survey respondents were almost equally divided between men and women, many of whom were under the age of 35.

One of the most popular topics addressed was how to keep youth and young adults in the church, and many of the solutions offered came from the youth themselves. The results were revealing. If we want to retain them, they said the church should:

- (1) teach Bible principles and the substance of Christianity early, often, and as much as possible.
- (2) package this presentation of the truth attractively but without worldliness.
- (3) integrate youth into the daily responsibilities and activities of the church.



## Following the Way of the Word

*A great obligation*

By TED N. C. WILSON

8 ADVENTIST WORLD | March 2012

Windows taskbar: Internet Explorer, File Explorer, Windows Media Center, Office, Word, Excel, Firefox, Outlook, PowerPoint, and system tray with time 2:50 PM 5/29/2012.

# SDAPI TODAY

- 2010 & 2011 began doing some linking from SDAPI citations to the AdventistArchives.org database
- 2011 began downloading our own issues and providing links
- About 1/3 of citations, the recent ones, have links
- *Adventist Review and Ministry*

# SDAPI IN THE FUTURE

- Citation Indexing verses Full Text
- Google search: about 8,750,000 results (0.16 seconds)
- Impressive, but who wants to work through 8.75 million results?
- Analytical index provides more limited but potentially more useful results

# SDAPI IN THE FUTURE

- Uncertain if analytical indexing will be able to survive in the face of growing acceptance and expectation of full text
- Many scholars recognize the value but is it sustainable?
- SDAPI will maintain it as long as possible because we feel analytic indexing is important
- **What do you think?**
  - This is your chance to help direct the future of the Index



# SDAPI GOVERNANCE

- SDAPI Publication Board
  - Chair—Library director of host institution [currently Andrews University]
  - Managing Editor—from host institution [that's me]
  - General Conference and North American Division representatives
  - Loma Linda University representative
  - 3 library directors from financially supporting institutions
- Meet twice a year and as needed

# SDAPI FINANCE

- General Conference
- North American Division Office of Education
- North American Division university and college libraries
- Subscriptions
- Total for the 2012-2013 year: \$73,295

# SDAPI FINANCES AND THE FUTURE

- Issues Faced
  - Budgets getting tight for everyone
  - Subscription income is dropping from what it was a few years ago
  - Some institutions pay disproportionately more than is fair for them

# HOW YOU CAN HELP

- We realize for most of you it would be extremely difficult if not impossible to be a full supporting institution
  - US\$3.00 per full time equivalent student
- For some of you it would be possible to be a full supporting institution or some portion
- Life is not free and information is not free
- For 40 years your sister institutions in North America have provided this Index free for you

# HOW YOU CAN HELP

- In recognition of your
  - growing academic and financial strength
  - demand for access to resources due to increasing programs
  - Increasing number of graduate programs (religion, theology, education, and health)
- The SDAPI Board (and NAD schools) would like to invite you to consider becoming at least a partial contributor to the ongoing support of the SDAPI



# SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST PERIODICAL INDEX

- Questions?
- If you want to become involved as a supporter please talk with me this week
  - [fordjim@andrews.edu](mailto:fordjim@andrews.edu)

# THE ADVENTIST DIGITAL LIBRARY

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